feels about it. I will let you know about it. As soon as the Chairman gives his permission and sends it to the Privileges Committee or does not send it to the Privileges Committee, in both the cases I will inform you. O.K. Thank you.

RE. HOLDING OF A RALLY BY BJP AT MADRAS

SHRI SUBRAMANIAN SWAMY (Uttar Pradesh) : Madam Deputy Chairman, I am on a matter of grave importance. (*Interruptions*)

SHRI MOHAMMED AFZAL *alias* MEEM AFZAL (Uttar Pradesh) : Madam, have you allowed him to speak from the first bench ?

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN : I have allowed him. He took my permission. He has got a sore throat.

श्री सुब्रह्मण्यम स्वामी : जनता दल, कप एण्ड सॉसर, का यही हाल है ।...

Madam, I am referring to the grave situation regarding the communal peace in this country and the fact that all of us are committed to creating conditions by which the communal peace can be maintained. There are some parts of India, which have not been affected so far by the communal virus, but an attempt is being made. I have with me a tape of the speech given by the leader of the banned organisation, the Vishwa Hindu Parishad, Mr. Ashok Shinghal who gave a speech in Madras.

SHRI G. SWAMINATHAN (Tamil Nadu) : Madam, he is exhibiting a tape. As per rules no tape should be exhibited. No article should be exhibited. I do not think it is fair. He cannot say that he has got a tape. (*Interruptions*)

SHRI SUBRAMANIAM SWAMY : New-found allies of the BJP, I said I have a tape with me.

SHRI G. SWAMINATHAN : The tape is there. He is making it visible to all the Members. We are able to see the tape. He cannot exhibit it to Members.

SHRI SUBRAMANIAM SWAMY : No, this is in particular urgency because there is a scheduled BJP rally on the 21st March. All the secular elements are apprehensive that these speeches will be highly objectionable. I bring this to the notice of this House because of the kind of sentiments which are being expressed by no less a person than the General Secretary of the Vishwa Hindu Parishad which is banned. I do not know whether Mr. Singhal is a free man. But certainly in Tamil Nadu, he is a free man and he gets full support from the Government to move around quite freely.

I would like to quote some of the things...

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN : What are you quoting from ?

SHRI SUBRAMANIAM SWAMY : I am quoting from his speech given on the 21st February and the Chairman gave me permission to quote from that speech. He says ... (*Interruptions*)

SHRI JAGDISH PRASAD MATHUR (Uttar Pradesh) : Madam, what is he quoting from ?

SHRI SUBRAMANIAM SWAMY : It is from the tape... (*Interruptions*)...

SHRIMATI KAMLA SINHA (Bihar) : Madam, if it is from the tape... (*Interruptions*)... I do not see any reason why you should allow him.

SHRI JAGDISH PRASAD MATHUR: Madam, he cannot read it out... (*Interruptions*)...

SHRI SUBRAMANIAM SWAMY : I have with me Chairman's permission.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN : Chairman's permission has a limited scope.

SHRI SUBRAMANIAM SWAMY : Yes. The limited scope is to quote from the speech. Let the whole House know what is being said. I would like in particular the implications to be understood because there is a rally scceduled for the 21st March.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN : Can you substantiate it ?

SHRI SUBRAMANIAM SWAMY : I have the tape. I will stand by it.

SHRI JAGDISH PRASAD MATHUR : Let him authenticate it.

SHRI SUBRAMANIAM SWAMY : This can go before a Committee. I have so far never levelled a charge which has been proved false. I have brought here the material. I satisfied the Chairman this morning with the material and with the transcript and I stand by the words. I stand by what I say. After all I am not like Mr. Jagdish Prasad Mathur. I have a certain reputation to protect... (*Interruptions*)...

SHRI JAGDISH PRASAD MATHUR : Madam, I am on a point of order.

श्री सुब्रह्मण्यम स्वामी ने क्वोट किया है, पता नहीं कहां से किया है ? अगर अखबार होती तो मान लेते, अगर वे अपनी तरफ से क्वोट कर रहे हैं तो उनको अथन्टिकेट करना चाहिए । इट इज ए रूल । अगर न्यूज पेपर से कर रहे हैं तो उन्हें कहना चाहिए कि फलॉ न्यूज पेपर से है । कहां से है ? ···(व्यवधान)···

SHRI SUBRAMANIAM SWAMY : I produced the tape. I have played the tape and I am ready to lay it on the Table of the House. They are afraid that the truth will come out....(*Interruptions*)... They are of communal people who have denounced Mahatma Gandhi in the worst possible manner... (*Interruptions*) ... They have called Mahatma Gandhi "A stooge of the British." They have said, "Muslims cannot vote, if the BJP Government comes to power, Muslims will be deprived of the right of vote." That is what he has said... (*Interruptions*) ...

I would like the Home Minister to tell us whether he is going to allow the 21st March rally of the BJP because Mr. Singhal is scheduled to speak from there. Under article 365, he has the right to give directions to the State Government to see that the rally is not held. After all the kind of things they have said have been said... (*Interruptions*)...

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN : Mr. Swamy, you have made your point. Will you sit down ?

श्री जगदीश प्रसाद माथुर : मैंने प्वाइंट आफ आर्डर की बात की थी । ···(व्यवधान)···

Madam, I am not yielding.

SHRI SUBRAMANIAM SWAMY : I would like to know, why is Mr. Singhal not arrested under TADA ?

श्री कैलाश नारायण सारंग :*

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN : That will not go on record. The Home Minister wants to say something.

THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. B. CHAVAN) : Madam Deputy Chairman, the Government would like to satisfy itself with what the hon. Member, Shri Subramaniam Swamy has said. If what the hon. Member has alleged that Mr. Singhal has made certain allegations and also certain derogatory remarks against the Father of the Nation—is true and if he is going to hold the rally in Tamil Nadu, certainly the Government would like to write to the Tamil Nadu Government that such a rally should not be allowed to be held there. But ultimately it is for them to take a decision about it... (*Interruptions*)...

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN : Now that matter is over.

SHRI TINDIVANAM G. VENKATRAMAN (Tamil Nadu) : Madam, we have already seen the demolition of a mosque. Merely writing of letters won't do. You must take immediate action. Madam, I would like to submit that there is no point in writing letters. Direct action is necessary. (*Interruptions*). You have already written letters. (*Interruptions*). In the White Paper, you have given it in black and white. The mosque has been demolished. You give a direction immediately. Do not disturb the peace in Tamil Nadu. Madam, the right action is necessary at the right point of time. (*Interruptions*). You have already burnt your finger by writing letters. My submission is that writing letters will not do. A volcanic situation is developing there. (*Interruptions*).

*Not recorded.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN : Now, that matter is closed, please. After the Home Minister... (*Interruptions*). Mr. Dipen Ghosh, what do you want to say ? What is it regarding ?

SHRI DIPEN GHOSH (West Bengal) : Madam, it is regarding Tripura. In this House... (*Interruptions*).

श्री मोहम्मद अफजल उर्फ मीम अफजल : तमिलनाडु के अन्दर जो रेली होने जा रही है उसको 6 दिसम्बर की तरह रोकेंगे या 25 फरवरी की तरह रोकेंगे, यह और बतादें, क्योंकि होम मिनिस्टर साहब ने यह बार-बार कहा था कि 6 दिसम्बर, को जो कार सेवा हो रही है उसमें मस्जिद की एक ईंट भी नहीं गिरने दी जाएगी और पूरी मस्जिद गिरा दी गई । मैं यह पूछना चाहता हूं कि यह स्टेट गवर्नमेंट से कितनी मुखालफत करेंगे ?

†شری محمد افضل عرف م۔ افضل: تمل ناڈو کے اندر جو ریلی ہونے جا رہی ہے اس کو ۶ دسمبر کی طرح روکیں گے یا ۲۵ فروری کی طرح روکیں گے۔ یہ اور بتا دیں کیونکہ ہوم منسٹر صاحب نے یہ بار بار کہا تھا کہ ۶ دسمبر کو جو کار سیوا ہو رہی ہے اس میں مسجد کی ایک اینٹ بھی نہیں گرنے دی جائے گی اور پوری مسجد گرا دی گئی۔ میں یہ پوچھنا چاہتا ہوں کہ یہ اسٹیٹ گورنمنٹ سے کتنی مخالفت کریں گے۔

SHRI SHANKAR DAYAL SINGH (Bihar) : Madam, I am on a point of order.

आफिसर्स गैलरी से उठकर कोई भी आफिसर किसी मिनिस्टर से बातें नहीं कर सकता है । ..... (**व्यवधान**)

Kindly check that. It is very objectionable.

†[ ] Transliteration in Arabic script.

श्री मोहम्मद अफजल उर्फ मीम अफजल : कोई बैन्ड आर्गनाइजेशन के लीडर अगर कानून कायदों के अन्दर रैली में शामिल होता है तो उसको रोकने के लिए होम मिनिस्टर साहब क्या तरीका अख्त्यार करेंगे ?

SHRI PASUMPON THA. KIRUTTINAN (Tamil Nadu) : Madam, the earlier assurances have not been carried out. (*Interruptions*).

SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY (Pondicherry) : Madam, the Government... (*Interruptions*).

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN : Mr. Narayanasamy, will you please take your seat ?

SHRI DIPEN GHOSH : Madam, I have sought your permission.

श्री शंकर दयाल सिंह : : मैडम, सरकार को सदन में आज यह वक्तव्य देना चाहिए क्योंकि सरकार की आज जो फिगर है, ए० आई० ए० डी० एम० के० के सपोर्ट विड्रो कर लेने के बाद सरकार अल्पमत सरकार हो गई है । हम चाहते हैं कि अल्पमत सरकार को कम से कम यह बयान देना चाहिए कि उसकी पोजीशन क्या है और साथ-साथ अन्ना द्रमुक के जो नेता हैं उनको भी अपनी पोजिशन इस सदन में क्लीयर करनी चाहिए । .... (**व्यवधान**)

We are welcoming you, Mr. Swaminathan, as our partner. You have done a great thing. I am congratulating you on behalf of all of us. (*Interruptions*).

SHRI DIPEN GHOSH : Madam, I want your permission to raise an important issue.

SHRI PASUMPON THA. KIRUTTINAN : The earlier assurance has not been carried out. (*Interruptions*)

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN : If three people speak at the same time, I cannot hear anything. If you expect an answer from me, you are making a futile exercise because I cannot hear three channels at the same time.

SHRI G. SWAMINATHAN : Madam, the hon. Member has asked me about the

AIADMK's stand. The AIADMK has withdrawn support and it has been announced in the press also.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: All right. Sit down (*Interruptions*).

SHRI PASUMPON THA. KIRUTTINAN: Mr. Swaminathan is not the Home Minister. The hon. Minister is sitting there.

SHRI G. SWAMINATHAN: The AIADMK has withdrawn support and the hon. Chief Minister and General Secretary of the party has announced it. As the leader of that party here, I am saying this. Let the Home Minister say what he wants.

SHRI PASUMPON THA. KIRUTTINAN: We want an assurance from the Home Minister.

SHRI SUBRAMANIAM SWAMY: He must be arrested under the TADA.

SHRI PASUMPON THA. KIRUTTINAN: Let the Home Minister come out with a clear statement that the banned organisation will not be allowed to... (*Interruptions*)... in Tamil Nadu.

SHRI S. K. T. RAMACHANDRAN (Tamil Nadu): The present Government there is helpless. (*Interruptions*).

SHRI G. SWAMINATHAN: Madam, I am very sorry that an unnecessary accusation is brought here. It is for the Home Minister to give a directive to the State. (*Interruptions*). The Home Minister has to issue a directive. The State Government will take it up appropriately. Is it for the Centre... (*Interruptions*).

SHRI S. B. CHAVAN: I think the hon. Members have not understood me. I said, I will write to them. I never said that I am going to give a directive. (*Interruptions*).

श्री जगदीश प्रसाद माथुर : ऐसा लगता है महोदया, गृह मंत्री तमिलनाडु में षड्यंत्र कर रहे हैं। जब से ए० आई० ए० डी० एम० के० ने अपना समर्थन वापस लिया है, मुझे संदेह है कि ये बुनियाद बना रहे हैं ए० डी० एम० के० की गवर्नमेंट को डिसमिस करने के लिए .... (व्यवधान) यह लगता है कि ए० डी० एम० के० की सरकार को गिराने के लिए यह षड्यंत्र किया जा रहा है ... (व्यवधान)

उप सभापति : माथुर साहब, बैठिए आप ... (व्यवधान)

Mr. Dipen Ghosh, do you want to say something? (*Interruptions*)

SHRI S. K. T. RAMACHANDRAN: The BJP wants to... (*Interruptions*)

श्री जगदीश प्रसाद माथुर : मैं पूछना चाहूंगा क्या आपने माइंड मेक अप कर लिया है ए० डी० एम० के० की गवर्नमेंट को डिसमिस करने के लिए ... (व्यवधान) आप भूमिका बना रहे हैं ए० डी० एम० के० सरकार को डिसमिस करने के लिए ... (व्यवधान) जिस प्रकार आपने यू० पी० की, मध्य प्रदेश की सरकारें गिराई है, उसी प्रकार से आप ए० डी० एम० के गवर्नमेंट को डिसमिस करने के लिए बुनियाद बना रहे हैं ... (व्यवधान)

उपसभापति : माथुर साहब, प्लीज बैठिए ... (व्यवधान)

SHRI JAGDISH PRASAD MATHUR: It is a conspiracy by the Congress Government to dislodge the AIADMK Government. (*Interruptions*)

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Now that matter is over. (*Interruptions*)

SHRI SUBRAMANIAM SWAMY:*

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Nothing is going on record about that matter. That matter is over. Nothing is going on record. (*Interruptions*) I have allowed Mr. Dipen Ghosh.

श्री विष्णुकांत शास्त्री :*

उपसभापति : आप बैठिए शास्त्री जी ... (व्यवधान) शास्त्री जी, प्लीज, मैटर सैटल हो गया, बैठिए, बैठ जाइए ... (व्यवधान) वह मसला खत्म हो गया ... (व्यवधान)

*Not recorded.

I am not allowing anything on it. It is not going on record. (*Interruptions*) Please take your seat. Nothing is going on record. (*Interruptions*)

SHRI PASUMPON THA. KIRUTTINAN : Madam, allow me to speak for one minute. (*Interruptions*)

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN : No 1 will not allow even half a minute. I have already identified Mr. Dipen Ghosh. That matter is closed.

SHRI PASUMPON THA. KIRUTTINAN : Madam, I want only one second.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN : There is no difference between one second and one minute. The question is that I have closed that matter and I am not going to go back on my own decision. I request you to take your seat. (*Interruptions*) What to speak of one minute, I can give you one hour. But I am not planning to do that. Please take your seat. That matter is closed. (*Interruptions*)

SHRIMATI KAMLA SINHA : Madam, I have been trying to draw your attention ... (*Interrutions*)

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN : I have identified Mr. Dipen Ghosh. I will permit you.

Re. Report on situation in Tripura

SHRI DIPEN GHOSH (West Gengal) : Madam, in this House last week, we had discussed the statement given by the Union Home Minister about the situation prevailing in Tripura and the last sentence which the Home Minister has used in his statement was that the Government is awaiting a report from the Governor, in the background of the latest communique, issued by the Chief Election Commissioner. In the mean-time, there have been reports in the press that the Governor of Tripura was called to Delhi and the Government at the Centre—the President, the Prime Minister and the Home Minister—have had meetings with him and discussed the matter with him. There is a further report in the press that the Governor of Tripura has since sent a fresh report about the situation prevailing in Tripura. I want to know from the Home Minister, who happens to be the Leader of the House also, whether it is a fact that the Governor of Tripura has sent a report to the Centre after he was called to Delhi. I mean, has he sent a report after he has gone back to Agartala ? If so, what action is the Government of India going to take because the Home Minister has committed on the floor of this House that the Centre is going to take action on the report after the same is received from the Governor of Tripura ?

THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. B. CHAVAN) : Madam, I have not received a report of the Governor so far. As soon as a report of the Governor is received, it will have to go before the Cabinet and thereafter the Cabinet will take a decision.

SHRI DIPEN GHOSH : If you have not received it in the Union Home Ministry, the Prime Minister has received or the President has received. Can you give me ... (*Interruptions*) ...

SHRI S. B. CHAVAN : So far as my information goes, neither the Home Ministry nor the Prime Minister's office has received any report. If it has come this morning, I don't know that.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN : Shri Gurudas Das Gupta ... (*Interruptions*) ...

SHRIMATI KAMLA SINHA (Bihar) : Madam, ...

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN : One minute. Let me relieve Mr. Shankaranand from this House because there is a Motion for Election to the Post-Graduate Institute of Medical Education and Research, Chandigarh.

MOTION FOR ELECTION TO THE POST-GRADUATE INSTITUTE OF MEDICAL EDUCATION AND RESEARCH, CHANDIGARH

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND) : Madam, with your permission I move :

"That in pursuance of caluse (g) of section 5, read with sub-section (1) of section 6 of the Post-Graduate Institute of Medical Education and Research,